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NCR Corporation Docket No. 10158

In re application of: BROWN, D. P.

Serial No. 10/039,283

Filed: December 31, 2001

For: EMULATING A DATABASE SYSTEM

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

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| Independent Claims                             | 4   | - | 4   | 0 X              | \$ 200 = | \$ 0              |
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The attached reply authorizes the office to charge any necessary fees, including fees for extensions of time, to Deposit Account No. 14-0225 of NCR Corporation (the assignee of the present application). A Duplicate of this paper is enclosed.

Respectfully,

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REPLY TO ACTION DATED JANUARY 27, 2005

This is a reply to the action dated January 27, 2005. Applicant asks the Office to reconsider this application.

**Amendments to the Claims**, if any, appear in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.

**Conclusions** are provided on page 11 of this paper.

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